IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Ingre the Application of

nventor:

Katsuhiko HIRAMATSU et al.

Group Art Unit: 2687

Appln. No.:

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Examiner: U. Cho

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For:

BASE STATION APPARATUS AND CHANNEL ASSIGNING METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF RESPONSE PERIOD UNDER 35 U.S.C. §41 (a) (8)

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Petition is hereby made to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks for an Extension of Time for responding to the Final Rejection dated June 13, 2005, so as to expire December 13, 2005.

Submitted herewith is our Check No. $\underline{43033}$ including the amount of $\underline{$570.00}$, in payment for:

Extension for response filed within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136 (a) and §1.17 (b).

A Petition and fee for a two-month extension of time was filed on November 9, 2005.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 19-4375.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: December 13, 2005

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